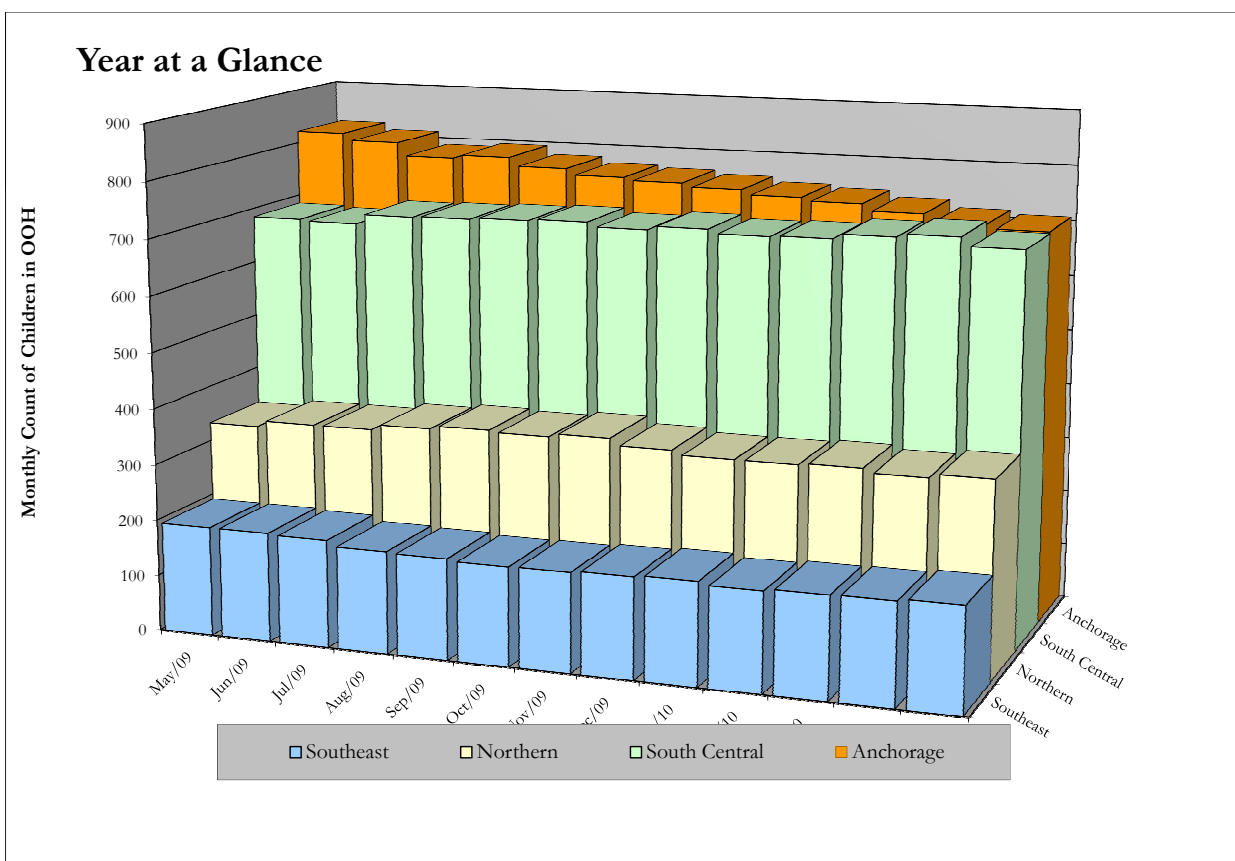


All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement between May, 2009, and May, 2010, by Region.

Region	May-09	Jun-09	Jul-09	Aug-09	Sep-09	Oct-09	Nov-09	Dec-09	Jan-10	Feb-10	Mar-10	Apr-10	May-10
Anchorage	824	811	787	793	777	766	761	754	745	739	727	713	706
Northern	337	348	348	358	364	361	367	355	347	347	350	343	350
South Central	687	684	702	704	707	710	702	709	702	704	713	719	703
Southeast	195	195	192	182	180	176	177	180	183	177	181	182	186
Total	2,043	2,038	2,029	2,037	2,028	2,013	2,007	1,998	1,977	1,967	1,971	1,957	1,945

Out-of-home placement is the last option considered when reasonable efforts to protect a child in his or her own home have been exhausted by OCS. The first preference considered in all out-of-home placements for a child or youth is a relative's home. When it is not possible to place a child with a relative it is necessary to place the child in a licensed foster home. Residential care facilities may offer short-term emergency shelter as well as more long-term residential treatment.



Data Source: ORCA. Program used to tabulate statistics: monthly_ooh_web.sas.

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